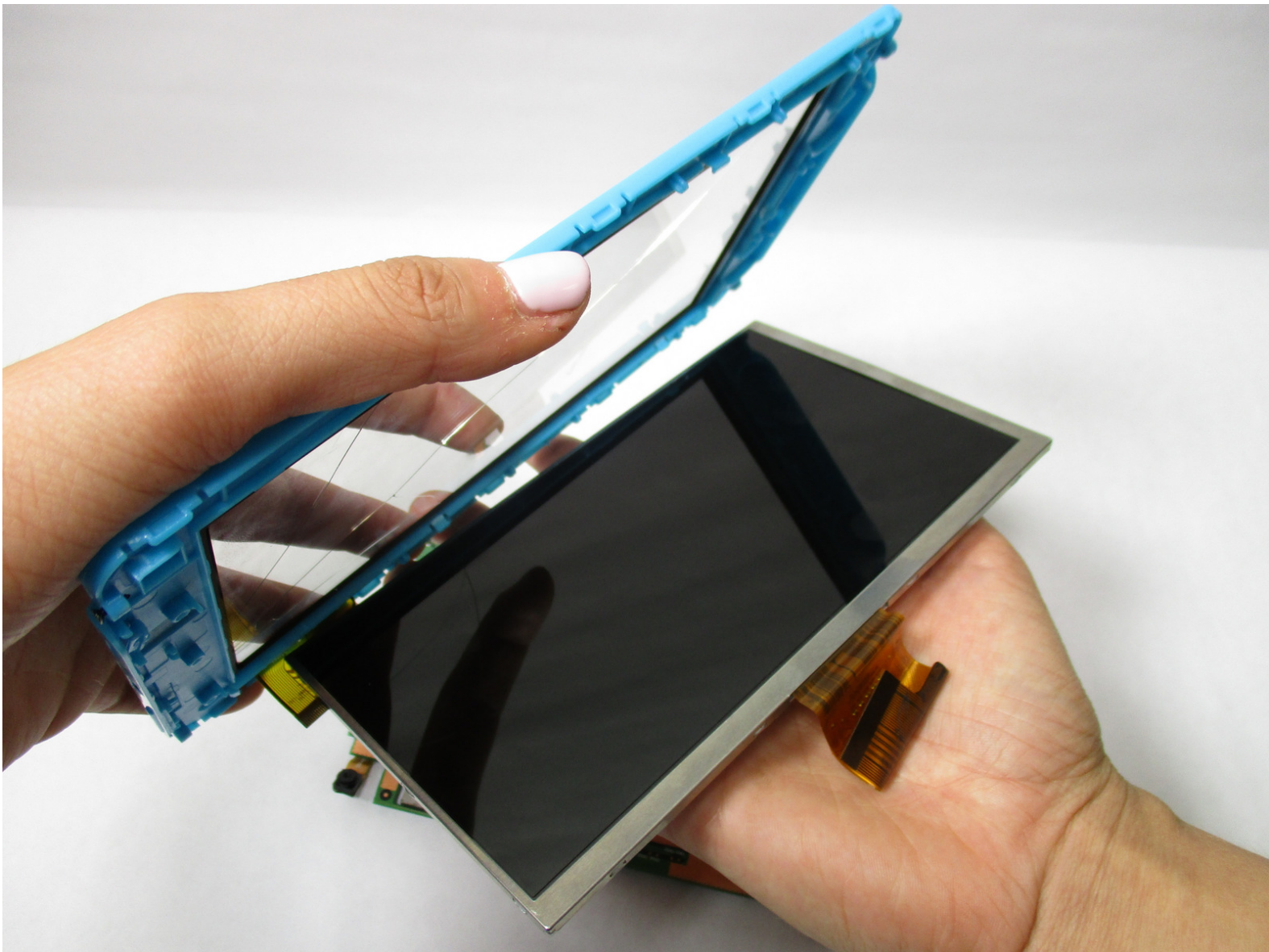




Kurio Xtreme Touch Screen Replacement

Replace the cracked or broken touch screen on your Kurio Xtreme.

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INTRODUCTION

If the touch screen on your Kurio Xtreme is cracked or broken, follow this guide to replace it.

TOOLS:

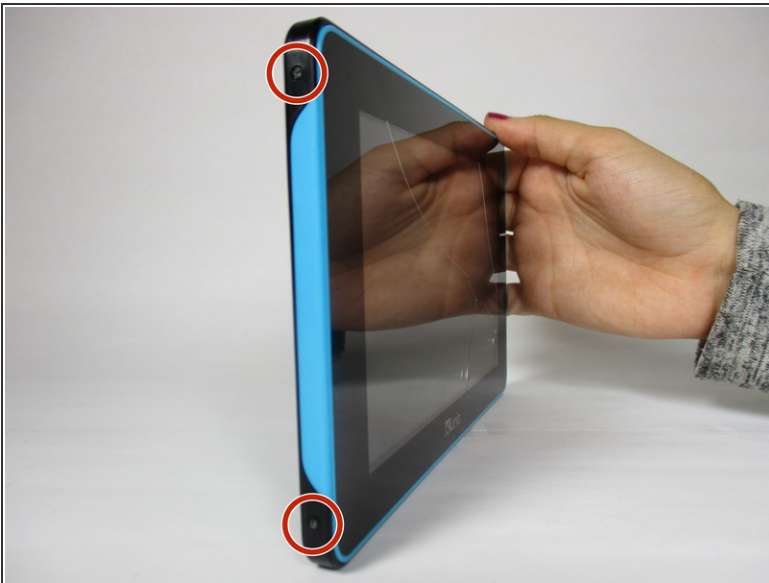
- [Phillips #000 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [Plastic Cards](#) (1)
 - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
 - [Soldering Station](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Back Panel



- Remove the rubber case by beginning to peel from one of the top corners and continue peeling until the cover is completely removed.

Step 2



- Unscrew the four 4 mm black screws using a Phillips #000 screw driver.

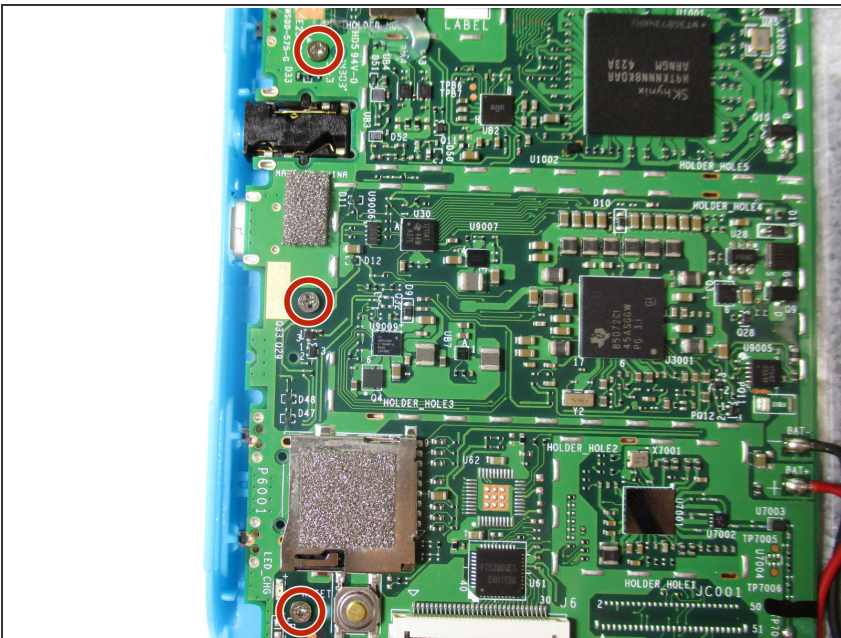
 There are two screws on each side of the device (four total).

Step 3



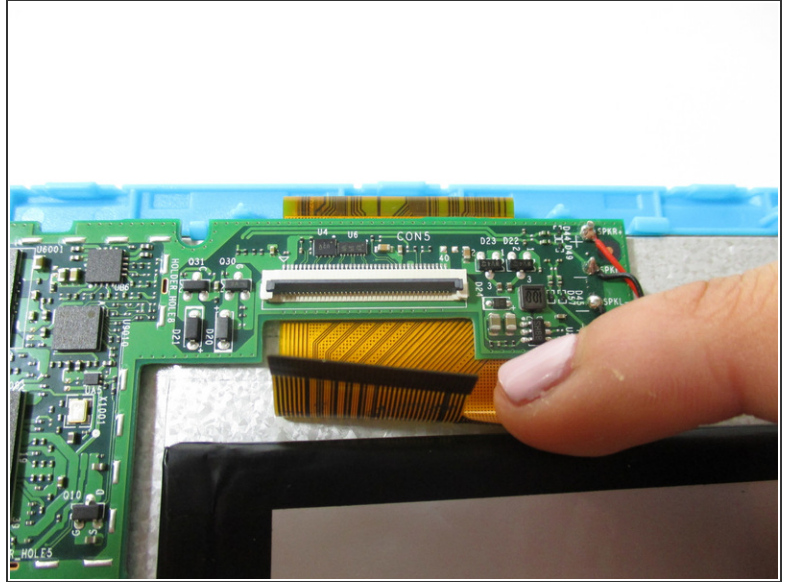
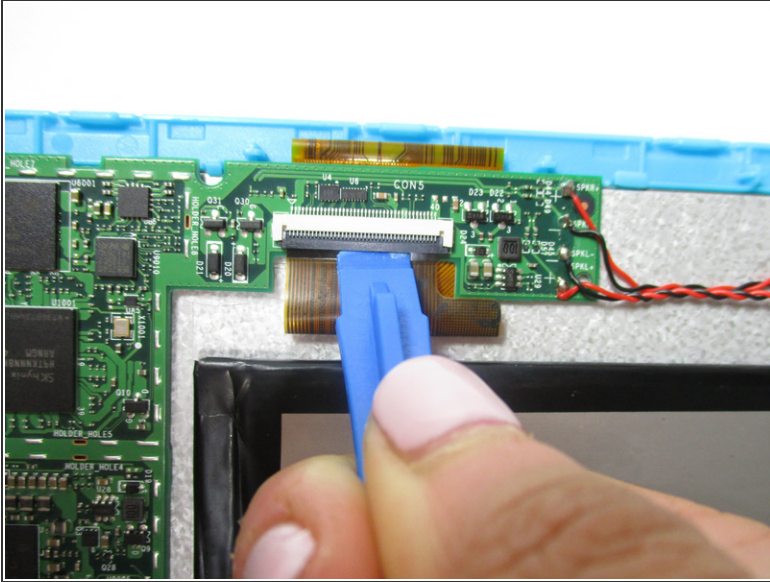
- Insert the plastic opening tool in between the edges of the blue front casing and black back casing.
- Slide the plastic opening tool around the perimeter of the device. This may require that you repeatedly run the opening tool up and down the edges of the device.
- ⚠ Be sure not to break any of the plastic clamps along the edges of the device when removing the back cover.
- Carefully lift the back panel off of the rest of the device.

Step 4 — Touch Screen



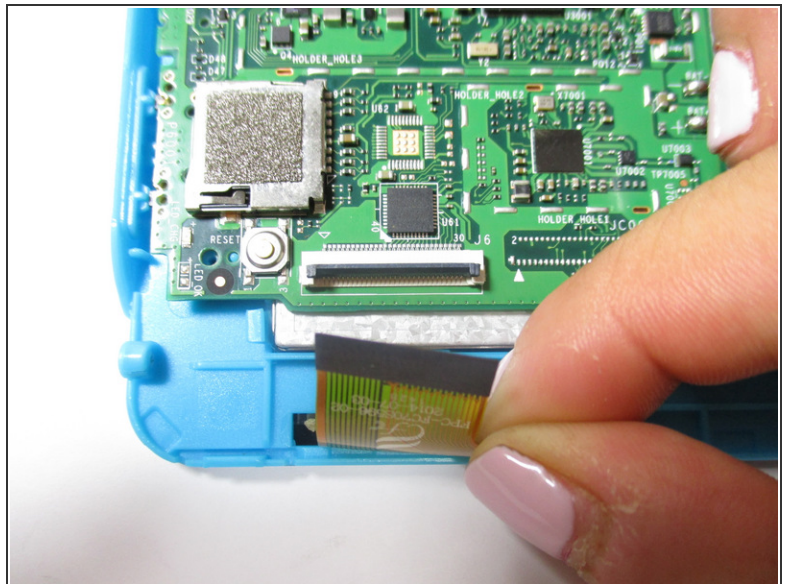
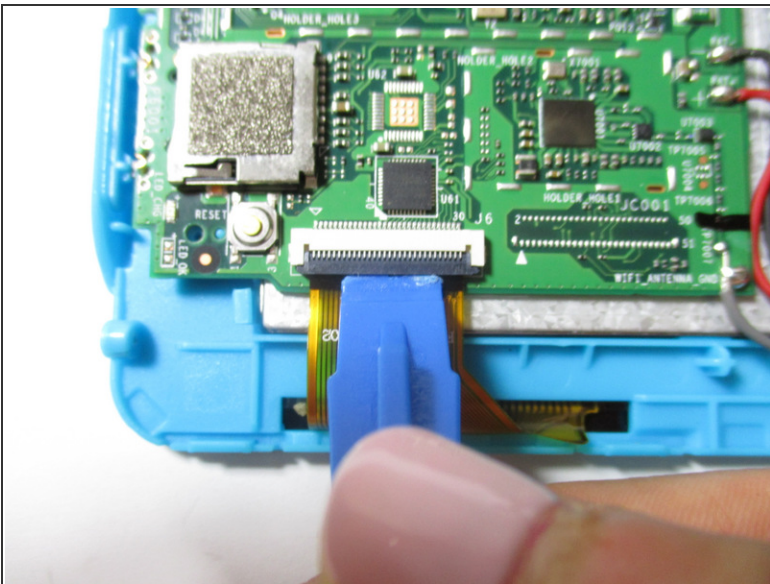
- Unscrew the three 4 mm screws with a Phillips #000 screwdriver.

Step 5



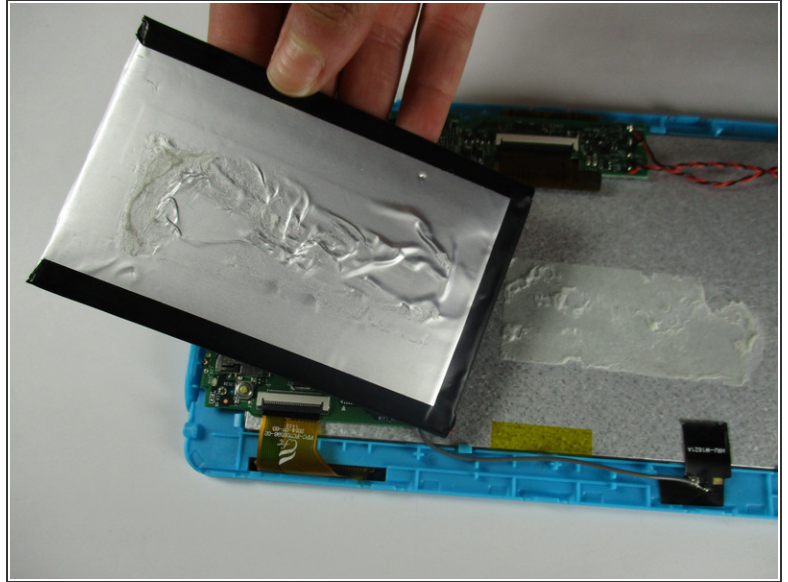
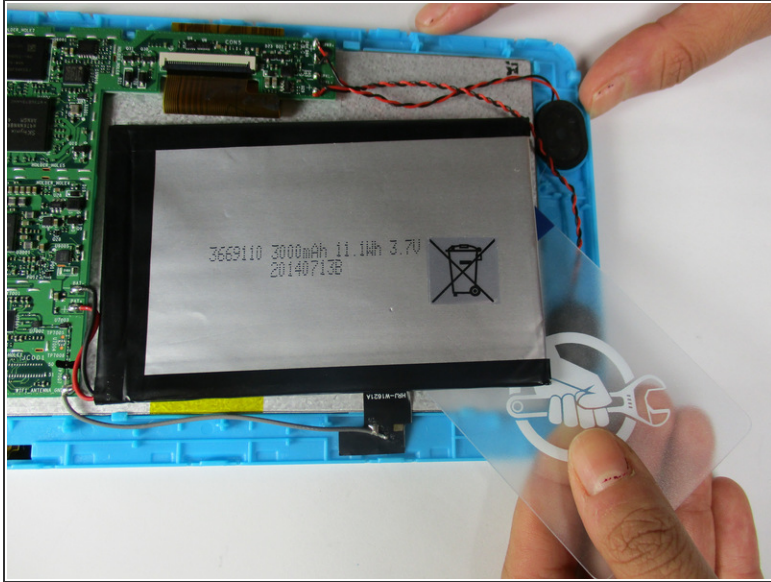
- Remove the orange data display ribbon wire above the battery by prying open the ZIF connector with the plastic opening tool.

Step 6



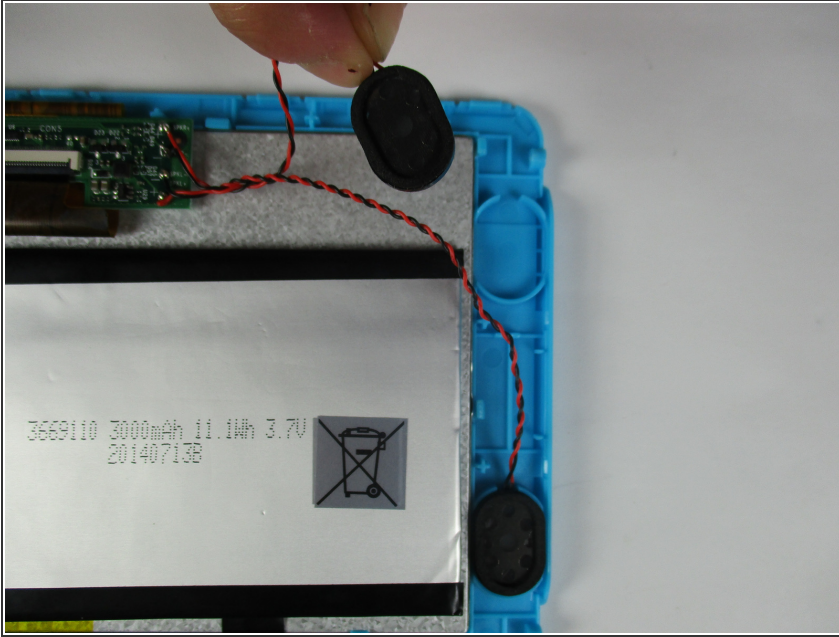
- Remove the orange data display ribbon wire to the left of the battery by prying open the ZIF connector with the plastic opening tool.

Step 7



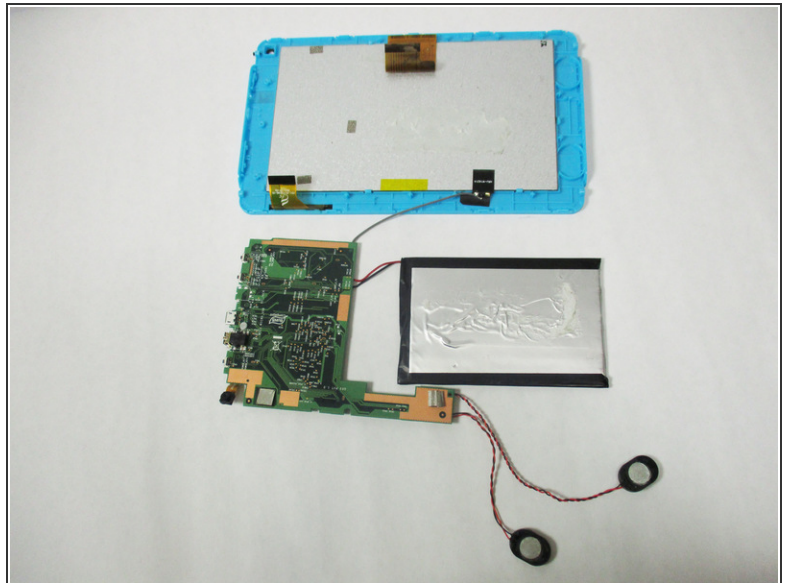
- Slide iFixit's Plastic Card tool or a credit card under the battery to remove the glue that is holding it in place.
- ⓘ Be patient and gentle. The glue is strong and may take up to 30 seconds to remove.
- Carefully lift the battery out of the device and set it aside.
- ⚠ Be careful not to disconnect the black and red wires from the motherboard when setting the battery aside.

Step 8



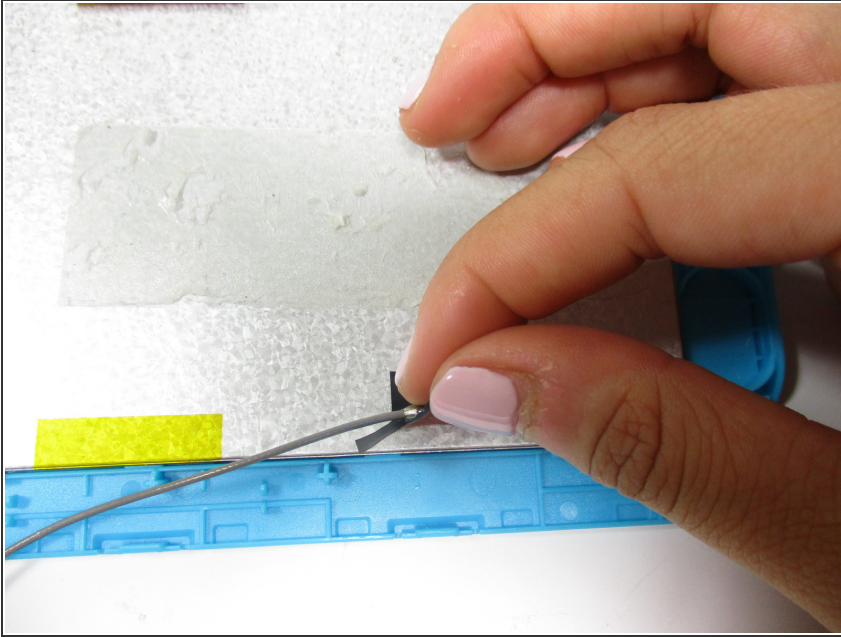
- Carefully remove the speakers out of the plastic molds by lifting up the black and red wires. Set the speakers aside.
- ⚠ Be careful not to disconnect the black and red wires from the motherboard when setting the speakers aside.

Step 9



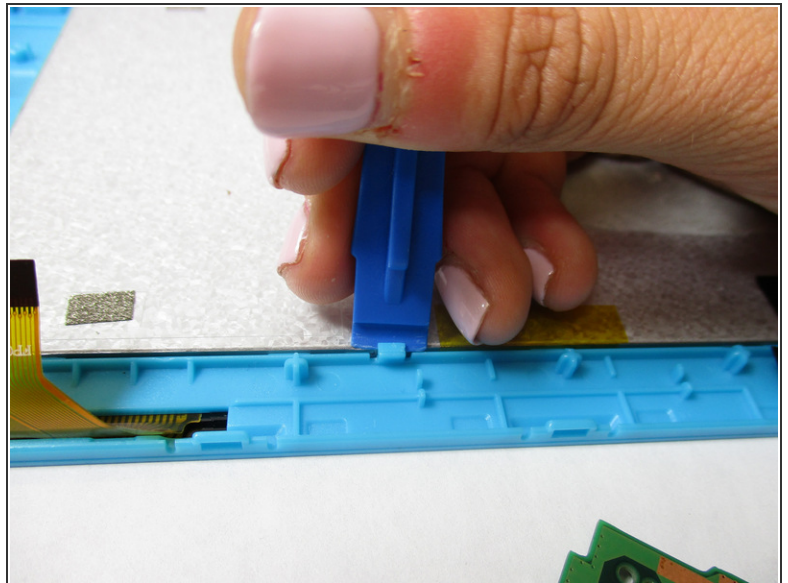
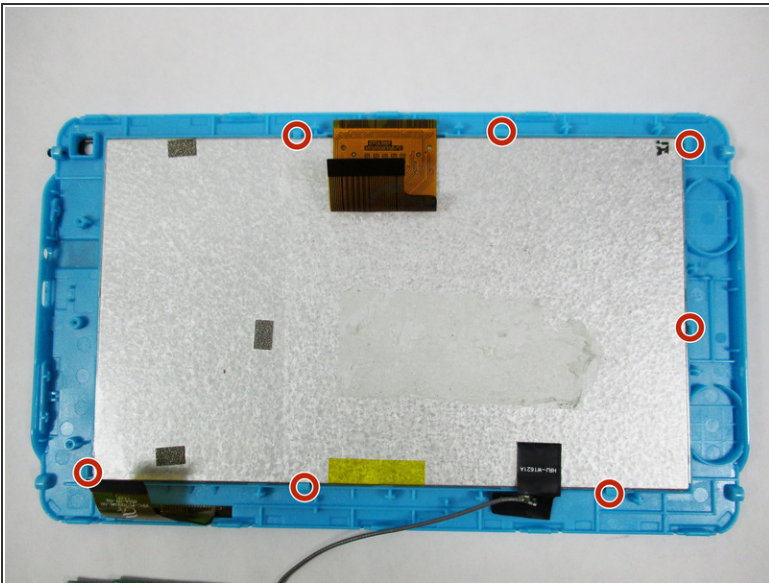
- Remove the motherboard by lifting it out of the casing and set it aside along with the battery and speakers.
- ⓘ The motherboard will still be connected to the battery, speakers, and the gray ground wire.

Step 10



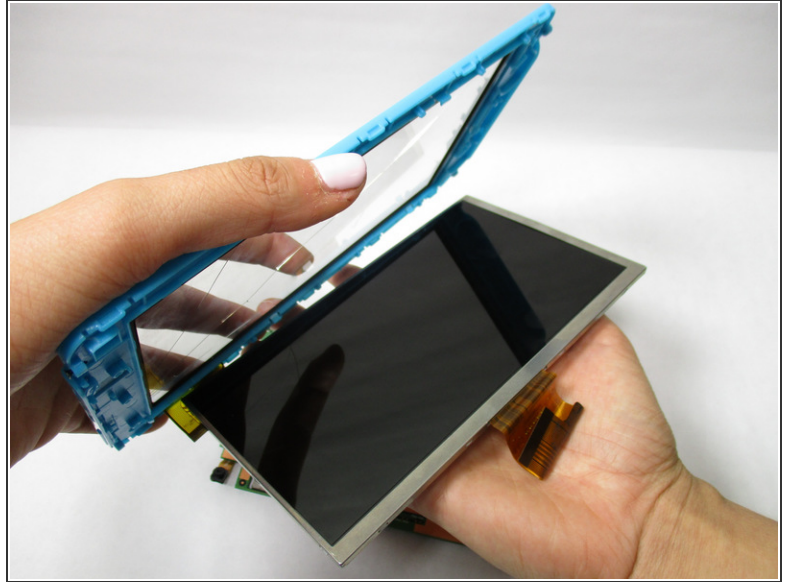
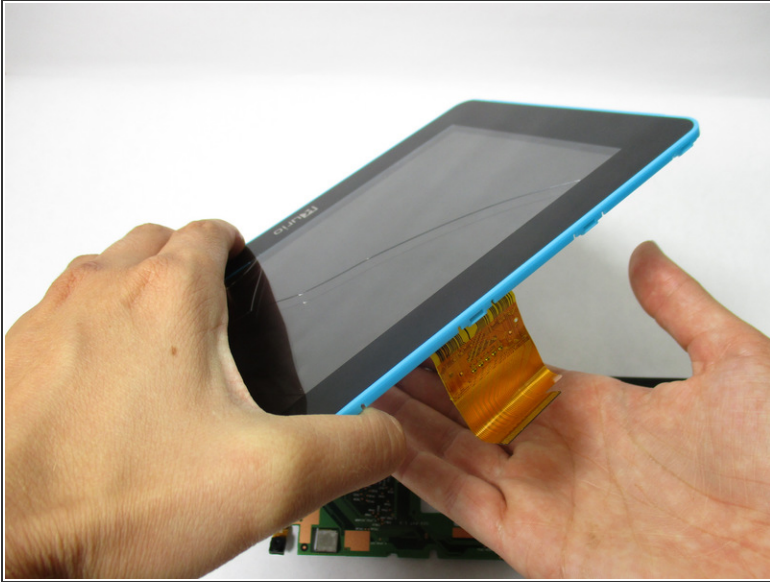
- Carefully peel the ground wire tape off of the blue front screen panel.
- ⓘ It is not necessary to peel the tape off of the back of the silver LCD screen.

Step 11



- Pry open all 7 of the blue clamps by wedging the plastic opening tool under them and bending them backward.
- ⓘ The clamps will not "snap" open. This step requires you to actually bend the plastic back.

Step 12



- Remove the LCD display from the blue touch screen casing by gently shaking them apart in the palm of your hand.
- This could be stuck on, so you need heat to loosen the glue.
- Be careful when prying the digitizer from the plastic, if you bend it too much it can break the frame!

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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